

HOUSE BILL No. 1473

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 8-9-10-1.

Synopsis: Railroad employees. Establishes standards for a mobile camp provided by a railroad company for maintenance of way employees. Requires a railroad company to provide drinking water at assembly points where at least two maintenance of way employees meet.

Effective: July 1, 2005.

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January 18, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on Employment and Labor.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 8-9-10-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: Sec. 1. **(a)** Every railroad company
3 within the state of Indiana shall provide and adequately maintain a
4 heated room or rooms at all terminals and headquarters in the operation
5 of ~~said~~ the railroad company, for the use of its employees. ~~containing~~
6 **(b) Each room required by subsection (a) must contain** adequate
7 wash basins, shower-baths, inside toilets, and sufficient lockers for
8 checking employees' clothing. ~~In addition, to the foregoing,~~
9 **(c)** Every railroad shall maintain at all permanent assembly points
10 a supply of drinking water dispensed in a sanitary manner. A
11 permanent assembly point under this chapter is a location where a
12 minimum of ~~six (6)~~ **two (2)** maintenance of way employees meet for a
13 ~~period of~~ not less than six (6) months ~~of~~ each year.
14 **(d) A railroad company that houses maintenance of way**
15 **employees in a mobile camp must provide and adequately maintain**
16 **for the employees' use outfit cars, camp cars, or trailers with the**
17 **following:**



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- 1 **(1) Heat and air conditioning.**
- 2 **(2) An adequate number of wash basins, showers, and inside**
- 3 **toilets.**
- 4 **(3) An adequate number of lockers for checking employees'**
- 5 **clothing and personal belongings.**
- 6 **(4) An adequate supply of potable water dispensed in a**
- 7 **sanitary manner for drinking, bathing, cooking, and cleaning**
- 8 **cooking utensils.**
- 9 **(e) A railroad company must locate and maintain a mobile camp**
- 10 **described in subsection (d) in a safe and healthy environment.**
- 11 **(f) As used in this section, "mobile camp" means a temporary**
- 12 **location where at least two (2) maintenance of way employees are**
- 13 **housed.**

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